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SUBJ: INACCURATE NEWS REPORT OF CAMBODIAN REFUGEES

1. BANGKOK POST TODAY CARRIED UNTRUE FRONT-PAGE STORY REPORTING
1,000 KHMER REFUGEES LANDED AT SATTAHIP LAST NIGHT ABOARD
"A VESSEL OF THE US SEVENTH FLEET."

2. STORY SHOULD BE KNOCKED DOWN IF IT GENERATES PRESS
QUERIES IN WASHINGTON OR ELSEWHERE.

3. AMERICANS AND OTHERS COMING OUT OF PHNOM PENH ON US-
SPONSORED FLIGHTS TO THAILAND HAVE ATTRACTED LITTLE NEWS
INTEREST. WE ARE NOT RPT NOT PROVIDING ANY FIGURES OR ES-
TIMATES OF THE NUMBER INVOLVED AND HAVE NOT BEEN PRESSED BY
QUERY TO GO BEYOND ACKNOWLEDGING THAT THIS EMBASSY IS FACILIT-
ATING THE ARRIVAL FROM PHNOM PENH OF A RELATIVELY SMALL
NUMBER OF AMERICANS AND OTHERS WHO ARE COMING TO BANGKOK
TEMPORARILY.

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